

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MELISA HAMLING,

Defendant.

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ORDER

This matter is before the court on the defendant's Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [39]. Counsel requests additional time to resolve the matter short of trial and is actively engaged in plea negotiations. Good cause having been shown,

IT IS ORDERED that the Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [39] is granted as follows:

1. The jury trial, now set for January 22, 2019, is continued to **March 4, 2019**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and March 4, 2019**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

DATED: January 3, 2019.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Michael D. Nelson
United States Magistrate Judge